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 (57) Abstract: TMPRSS2 transcriptional regulatory sequences (TREs) are provided. TMPRSS2 TREs provide for transcriptional regulation dependent upon transcription factors that are only active in prostate cancer calls. The TMPRSS2 TRES may be used as a vehicle for introducing new genetic capability, particularly associated with cytotoxicity, for selective expression in prostate cancer calls.

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